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In re the Application of:)
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Serial No.: 10/081,723)
Filed: February 21 2002)
For: Apparatus and Methods for Delivering a)
Closure Device)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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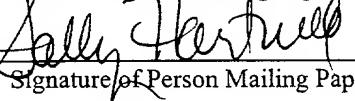
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The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136 apply.

Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

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<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$55.00	\$110.00
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III. FILING FEES

Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27.

BASIC FILING FEE:						\$740.00	
Total Claims	42	-	20	=	22	x \$18.00	\$396.00
Independent Claims	5	-	3	=	2	x \$84.00	\$168.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	\$280	(if applicable)				<input type="checkbox"/>	\$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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